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METHOD, TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND TELECOMMUNICATION HANDSET FOR WIRELESS COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION IN

A SMART HOME ENVIRONMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the initial review of the application referenced above by Kurt Aretz et al. entitled "Method, Telecommunication System and Telecommunication Handset for Wireless Communication and Telecommunication in a Smart Home Environment Field of Technology," please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the attached substitute specification. A marked-up version and a clean version are submitted hereto according to 37 C.F.R. §1.125(c).

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 23 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached to the end of this paper.